UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of

CERTAIN PNEUMATIC COMPRESSION DEVICES AND COMPONENTS THEREOF Inv. No. 337-TA-1316

NOTICE OF INSTITUTION OF INVESTIGATION

Institution of Investigation Pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 1337

AGENCY: U.S. International Trade Commission

ACTION: Notice

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that a complaint was filed with the U.S. International Trade Commission on April 29, 2022, under section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, on behalf of Precision Holdings USA Inc. of Rocklin, California and Innovamed Health LLC of San Antonio, Texas. Supplements were filed on May 9, 2022, and May 11, 2022. The complaint, as supplemented, alleges violations of section 337 based upon the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, and the sale within the United States after importation of certain pneumatic compression devices and components thereof by reason of infringement of certain claims of U.S. Patent No. 10,058,475 ("the '475 patent") and U.S. Patent No. 10,912,704 ("the '704 patent"). The complaint further alleges that an industry in the United States exists as required by the applicable Federal Statute.

The complainant requests that the Commission institute an investigation and, after the investigation, issue a limited exclusion order and cease and desist orders.

ADDRESSES: The complaint, except for any confidential information contained therein, may be viewed on the Commission's electronic docket (EDIS) at https://edis.usitc.gov. For help accessing EDIS, please email EDIS3Help@usitc.gov. Hearing impaired individuals are advised that information on this matter can be obtained by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on (202) 205-1810. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at (202) 205-2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its internet server at https://www.usitc.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pathenia M. Proctor, The Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, telephone (202) 205-2560.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

AUTHORITY: The authority for institution of this investigation is contained in section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. 1337, and in section 210.10 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 C.F.R. 210.10 (2022).

SCOPE OF INVESTIGATION: Having considered the complaint, the U.S. International Trade Commission, on May 31, 2022, **ORDERED THAT** –

- (1) Pursuant to subsection (b) of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, an investigation be instituted to determine whether there is a violation of subsection (a)(1)(B) of section 337 in the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, or the sale within the United States after importation of certain products identified in paragraph (2) by reason of infringement of one or more of claims 16-18 of the '475 patent and claims 1, 3, 4, 11-15, and 18-20 of the '704 patent, and whether an industry in the United States exists as required by subsection (a)(2) of section 337;
- (2) Pursuant to section 210.10(b)(1) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 C.F.R. 210.10(b)(1), the plain language description of the accused products or category of accused products, which defines the scope of the investigation, is "portable deep vein thrombosis compression products";
- (3) For the purpose of the investigation so instituted, the following are hereby named as parties upon which this notice of investigation shall be served:
 - (a) The complainant are:

Precision Holdings USA Inc. 2217 Plaza Dr. Rocklin, CA 95765

Innovamed Health LLC 10 Westelm Garden San Antonio, TX 78230

(b) The respondents are the following entities alleged to be in violation of section 337, and are the parties upon which the complaint is to be served:

ManaMed Inc. 5240 W. Charleston Blvd. Las Vegas, NV 89146

Grandway Healthcare Limited Rm 1705, Kinox Centre No. 9 Hung To Rd. Kwun Tong, Kowloon, Hong Kong, S.A.R. China Vive Health LLC d/b/a Coretech 8955 Fontana Del Sol Way Naples, FL 34109

Medline Industries Inc. 3 Lakes Drive Northfield, IL 60093-2753

- (c) The Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Suite 401, Washington, D.C. 20436; and
- (4) For the investigation so instituted, the Chief Administrative Law Judge, U.S. International Trade Commission, shall designate the presiding Administrative Law Judge.

Responses to the complaint and the notice of investigation must be submitted by the named respondents in accordance with section 210.13 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 C.F.R. 210.13. Pursuant to 19 C.F.R. 201.16(e) and 210.13(a), as amended in 85 Fed. Reg. 15798 (March 19, 2020), such responses will be considered by the Commission if received not later than 20 days after the date of service by the complainants of the complaint and the notice of investigation. Extensions of time for submitting responses to the complaint and the notice of investigation will not be granted unless good cause therefor is shown.

Failure of a respondent to file a timely response to each allegation in the complaint and in this notice may be deemed to constitute a waiver of the right to appear and contest the allegations of the complaint and this notice, and to authorize the administrative law judge and the Commission, without further notice to the respondent, to find the facts to be as alleged in the complaint and this notice and to enter an initial determination and a final determination containing such findings, and may result in the issuance of an exclusion order or a cease and desist order or both directed against the respondent.

By order of the Commission.

Lisa R. Barton

Secretary to the Commission

Issued: May 31, 2022

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION Washington, D.C.

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Investigation No. 337-TA-1316

DESIGNATION OF OUII ATTORNEY FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS

The Office of Unfair Import Investigations ("OUII") hereby designates Monisha Deka, Esq., (202) 205-3180, monisha.deka@usitc.gov, as OUII's lead attorney for service of process. It is requested that all documents served by the Commission or filed by the parties in the above-referenced investigation be served upon this attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

Margaret Macdonald, Director

OFFICE OF UNFAIR IMPORT INVESTIGATIONS

U.S. International Trade Commission 500 E Street, S.W., Suite 401 Washington, D.C. 20436 (202) 205-2560 (202) 205-2158 (facsimile)

PUBLIC CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Lisa R. Barton, hereby certify that the attached **INSTITUTION OF INVESTIGATION** has been served via EDIS upon the Commission Investigative Attorney, **Monisha Deka, Esq.**, and the following parties as indicated, on **June 01, 2022**.

Lisa R. Barton, Secretary U.S. International Trade Commission 500 E Street, SW, Room 112 Washington, DC 20436

Complainants: Precision Holdings USA Inc. ☐ Via Hand Delivery 2217 Plaza Dr. 5240 ☐ Via Express Delivery Rocklin, CA 95765 ☐ Via First Class Mail ☑ Other: Email Notification of Availability for Download Innovamed Health LLC ☐ Via Hand Delivery 10 Westelm Garden ☐ Via Express Delivery San Antonio, TX 78230 ☐ Via First Class Mail ☑ Other: Email Notification of Availability for Download On Behalf of Complainants: Kecia Reynolds, Esq. ☐ Via Hand Delivery PAUL HASTINGS LLP ☐ Via Express Delivery 2050 M. Street N.W. ☐ Via First Class Mail Washington, DC 20036 ☑ Other: Email Notification Email: keciareynolds@paulhastings.com of Availability for Download **Respondents:** ManaMed Inc. ☐ Via Hand Delivery 5240 W. Charleston Blvd. ☐ Via Express Delivery Las Vegas, NV 89146 ☐ Via First Class Mail ☑ Other: Service to Be

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Dax Terrill, Chief Exclusion Order Enforcement Branch U.S. Customs and Border Protection Regulations and Rulings 90 K Street NE – 10th Floor Washington, DC 20229	 □ Via Hand Delivery □ Via Express Delivery □ Via First Class Mail ⊠ Other: Email Notification of Availability for Download

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Elizabeth Kraus, Deputy Director International Antitrust, Office of International Affairs Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, Room 498 Washington, DC 20580

Dale D. Berkley, Ph.D., J.D. Office of the General Counsel, PHD, NIH Branch National Institutes of Health 31 Center Drive Bldg. 31, Rm. 47 Bethesda, MD 20892

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May 31, 2022

Kecia Reynolds Paul Hastings LLP 2050 M Street, NW Washington, DC 20036

Re: Certain Pneumatic Compression Devices and Components Thereof

Inv. No. 337-TA-1316

Dear Kecia Reynolds:

This letter is to advise you that the U.S. International Trade Commission has instituted an investigation pursuant to section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1337). A copy of the Commission's notice of investigation is enclosed. Also enclosed is the Section 337 Mediation Program brochure. After reviewing the brochure, please sign and return the enclosed certification of receipt.

Sincerely,

Lisa R. Barton Secretary

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Precision Holdings USA Inc. 2217 Plaza Drive Rocklin, CA 95765

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ManaMed Inc. 5420 W. Charleston Boulevard Las Vegas, NV 89146

Re: Certain Pneumatic Compression Devices and Components Thereof; Investigation No. 337-TA-337-TA-1316

Dear Sir/Madam:

This letter is to advise you that the United States International Trade Commission has instituted an investigation pursuant to Section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1337). **ManaMed Inc.** is a named respondent in this investigation.

We are hereby serving you with a copy of the Complaint and the Notice of Investigation issued in this matter. Enclosed is a copy of the Code of Federal Regulations. Also enclosed is a the Section 337 Mediation Program brochure. After reviewing this brochure, please sign and return the enclosed certification of receipt.

Please note that the Notice requires a response to the allegations in the Complaint and the response must be received not later than twenty (20) days after the date of service of the Complaint. Failure to file a response may result in inferences being drawn against your interests.

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Grandway Healthcare Limited Rm 1705, Kinox Centre No. 9 Hung To Rd., Kwun Tong Kowloon, Hong Kong, S.A.R China

Re: Certain Pneumatic Compression Devices and Components Thereof; Investigation No. 337-TA-337-TA-1316

Dear Sir/Madam:

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Vive Health LLC d/b/a Coretech 8955 Fontana Del Sol Way Naples, FL 34109

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Dear Sir/Madam:

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Medline Industries Inc. 3 Lakes Drive Northfield, IL 60093

Re: Certain Pneumatic Compression Devices and Components Thereof; Investigation No. 337-TA-337-TA-1316

Dear Sir/Madam:

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Hong Kong Economic and Trade Office 1520 18th Street, NW Washington, DC 20036

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Dear Sir/Madam:

This letter is to advise you that the United States International Trade Commission has instituted an investigation pursuant to Section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1337). One or more of the parties named in the investigation is located in **Hong Kong**.

Pursuant to Commission Rule 210.11(a) (3), we are hereby serving you with a copy of the Complaint filed in this investigation together with a copy of the Commission's Notice of Investigation.

Sincerely,

Lisa R. Barton Secretary

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Lynda Marshall International Section Antitrust Division U.S. Dept of Justice 450 5th Street NW, Room 11000 Washington, DC 20530

Re: Certain Pneumatic Compression Devices and Components Thereof; Investigation No. 337-TA-1316

Dear Lynda Marshall:

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If you have any questions concerning this investigation, please contact the Commission Investigative Attorney whose name and telephone number appear in the enclosed Notice.

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Dax Terrill, Chief Exclusion Order Enforcement Branch U.S. Customs and Border Protection Regulations and Rulings 90 K Street NE, 10th Floor Washington, DC 20229-1177

Re: Certain Pneumatic Compression Devices and Components Thereof; Investigation No. 337-TA-1316

Dear Dax Terrill:

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Elizabeth Kraus, Deputy Director International Antitrust, Office of International Affairs Federal Trade Commission 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, Room 498 Washington, DC 20580

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Office of the General Counsel, PHD, NIH Branch
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31 Center Drive
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Bethesda, MD 20892

Re: Certain Pneumatic Compression Devices and Components Thereof; Investigation No. 337-TA-1316

Dear Dale Berkley:

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